

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

Case No. 22-8245-RMM

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

EDISON GEOVANY ZELADA-CORDOVA,

Defendant. /

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ANGELA E. NOBLE
CLERK U.S. DIST. CT.
S. D. OF FLA. - West Palm Beach

CRIMINAL COVER SHEET

1. Did this matter originate from a matter pending in the Northern Region of the United States Attorney's Office prior to August 8, 2014 (Mag. Judge Shaniek Maynard)? ___ Yes ☒ No
2. Did this matter originate from a matter pending in the Central Region of the United States Attorney's Office prior to October 3, 2019 (Mag. Judge Jared Strauss)? ___ Yes ☒ No

Respectfully submitted,

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AO 91 (Rev. 08/09) Criminal Complaint

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Defendant(s)

CRIMINAL COMPLAINT

I, the complainant in this case, state that the following is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

On or about the date(s) of June 10, 2022 in the county of Palm Beach in the
Southern District of Florida, the defendant(s) violated:

Code Section

Offense Description

Title 8 U.S.C. 1326(a)

Illegal re-entry into the United States after deportation or removal

This criminal complaint is based on these facts:

See Attached Affidavit

☒ Continued on the attached sheet.

Complainant's signature

TFO Andy Korzen, HSI
Printed name and title

Sworn and Attested to me by Applicant by Telephone (FaceTime) pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 4(d) and 4.1

Date:

6/14/22

Judge's signature

City and state:

West Palm Beach, FL

Ryon M. McCabe, U.S. Magistrate Judge
Printed name and title

**AFFIDAVIT OF ANDY KORZEN
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT**

I, Andy Korzen, being duly sworn, depose and state as follows:

1. I am a Task Force Officer (TFO) with the Homeland Security Investigations (HSI), and I am also Deportation Officer with the Immigration and Customs Enforcement and have been so employed for over eighteen years. I am currently assigned to the HSI, West Palm Beach, Florida. My duties and responsibilities include enforcing criminal and administrative immigration laws of the United States. I have also conducted and participated in investigations of this nature.

2. This affidavit is based upon my own knowledge as well as information provided to me by other law enforcement officers. This affidavit does not set forth every fact known to me regarding the investigation but only those facts necessary to establish probable cause to believe that Edison Geovany ZELADA-CORDOVA committed the offense of illegal re-entry after removal, in violation of Title 8, United States Code, Section 1326(a).

3. On or about June 10, 2022, Edison Geovany ZELADA-CORDOVA was arrested in Palm Beach County, Florida for the offense of unlawful sexual activity with a minor (two counts). He was booked and detained at the Palm Beach County Jail.

4. A review of the immigration records show that Edison Geovany ZELADA-CORDOVA is a native and citizen of El Salvador. Records further show that on or about July 10, 2014, Edison Geovany ZELADA-CORDOVA was ordered removed. The Order of Removal was executed on or about October 8, 2014, whereby Edison

Geovany ZELADA-CORDOVA was removed from the United States and returned to El Salvador.


5. Records further show that on or about July 11, 2014, in the United States District Court, Southern District of Texas, Edison Geovany ZELADA-CORDOVA was convicted of the offense of entering the United States illegally, case number 14-po-06764.

6. Edison Geovany ZELADA-CORDOVA's fingerprints taken in connection with his June 10, 2022 arrest in Palm Beach County were scanned into the IAFIS system. Results confirmed that scanned fingerprints belong to the individual who was previously removed from the United States, that is, Edison Geovany ZELADA-CORDOVA.

7. A records check was performed in the Computer Linked Application Informational Management System to determine if Edison Geovany ZELADA-CORDOVA filed an application for permission to reapply for admission into the United States after deportation or removal. After a search was performed in that database system, no record was found to exist indicating that Edison Geovany ZELADA-CORDOVA obtained consent from the Attorney General of the United States or from the Secretary of Homeland Security, for re-admission into the United States as required by law.

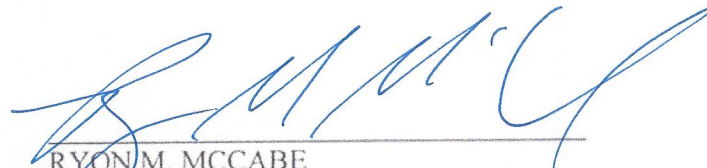
8. Based on the foregoing, I submit that probable cause exists to believe that, on or about June 10, 2022, Edison Geovany ZELADA-CORDOVA, an alien who was previously deported and removed from the United States, was found in the United States without having received express consent from the Attorney General or the Secretary of

the Department of Homeland Security for re-admission into the United States, in violation of Title 8, United States Code, Section 1326(a).



Andy Korzen
Task Force Officer
Homeland Security Investigations

Sworn and Attested to me by Applicant by Telephone (Facetime) pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 4(d) and 4.1 this 14 day of June 2022.



RYON M. MCCABE
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE